

## **REMARKS**

The final Office Action of September 23, 2004 has been received and its contents carefully considered. An RCE is being filed concurrently to relieve this application of its finally-rejected status.

The Office Action rejects all of the claims for anticipation by patent 6,625,583 to Silverman et al. This reference will hereafter be called simply "Silverman". The Silverman reference discloses a handheld trading computer that is used by a broker to exchange orders and information with an off-floor server using a wireless computer network. For the reasons discussed below, it is respectfully submitted that the independent claims now pending in this application are patentable over the reference.

As currently formulated, claim 1 recites "sending a request for a graph of a specific financial commodity to a hyper text transfer protocol transmission servo module ...". Claim 1 also provides that data is translated and compressed "into a graphic file ... with a wireless bitmap format ..., said graphic file containing a graphical two-dimensional plot ...". In addition, claim 1 recites transferring the graphic file to a "far-end user terminal." It is respectfully submitted that nothing in the reference would suggest that Silverman's orders and information (column 2, line 2) represent such a graphic file.

As the claim language quoted above indicates, claim 1 now specifies that a request for a graph is sent to "a hypertext transfer protocol transmission server module." It is respectfully submitted that Silverman does not disclose a module that operates in accordance with the HTTP protocol.

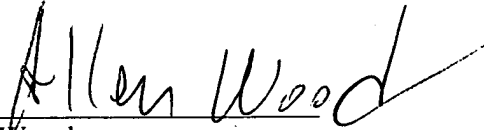
As was also noted above, claim 1 also now provides that data is translated and compressed into a graphic file “with a wireless bitmap format” established by the wireless application protocol consortium. This is neither disclosed nor suggested by the reference. More broadly, it is respectfully submitted that the reference neither discloses nor suggests a method that employs a module operating in accordance with the HTTP protocol and that also employs a graphic file with a wireless bitmap format established by the wireless application protocol consortium.

Independent claim 4 now recites that a far-end user of a far-end mobile user terminal “communicates with the HTTP transmission server module and controls the HTTP transmission server module through instructions using a wireless markup language (WML) format so as to selectively generate and transfer financial graphic information, said financial graphic information being presented to the far-end user in the form of a graphical two-dimensional plot.” For reasons along the line discussed above with respect to claim 1, it is respectfully submitted that this is neither disclosed nor suggested by the Silverman reference.

The remaining claims depend from the independent claims discussed above and recite additional limitations to further define the invention, so they are patentable along with their independent claims and need not be further discussed.

For the foregoing reasons, it is respectfully submitted that this application is now in condition for allowance. Reconsideration of the application is therefore respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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